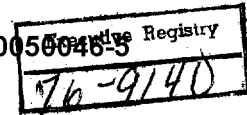




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Mr. E. Henry Knoche
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Dear Hank:

Please accept my heartiest congratulations on your nomination as the Deputy Director of Central Intelligence. Here in Defense, we are delighted with the decision and look forward to working with you in this important new capacity.

As a community colleague, I can only say that your selection is most appropriate and fully reflective of the dedication, competence and good will that have characterized your efforts over the past years.

Best wishes for your continuing success.



Deputy Director
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